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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, *24th January* 1871.

No. 425. Read the following Telegram fron Major PAYNE, Palamcottah, to Colonel ORR, Madras, dated 18th January 1871 :—

I HAVE received Government Orders 67 of 10th January and 90 of 13th January.

2. I request Government will accept my resignation of my appointment in the Department, and depute another officer to conduct prosecution as I am not in health to undertake the duty.

No. 426. ORDER THEREON, 24th January 1871, No. 209.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 42.

IN this telegram Major Payne, the Acting Superintending Engineer of the 8th Division, acknowledges the receipt of G. O., No. 90, dated 13th January 1871, in which he was appointed to conduct the prosecution of the charges preferred against Mr. Sub-Engineer Colquhoun, and, representing his inability to undertake the duty on the ground of want of health, tenders the resignation of his appointment.

2. The Government regret that they are unable to permit Major Payne to leave Tinnevelly till the duty to which he has been specially appointed has been completed, unless he can show by the submission of a medical certificate that an immediate change of climate is necessary for his health. He will however be relieved of the more arduous duty of the charge of the Superintending Engineer's Office by Captain Ryves at an early date.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Acting Superintending Engineer, 8th Division.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.

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Govt. of {1871} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE ACTING SUPERINTENDING

ENGINEER, 8TH DIVISION.

&c., &c., &c.

Dated January 24th.

Recd. *Encl.*

G. O., 24th January 1871, *No.* 209.

JANUARY

Nos. 425-426

Appointment.—Passing orders on the telegram from Major Payne, Acting Superintending Engineer of the 8th Division, tendering the resignation of his appointment in the Public Works Department, and requesting that another officer may be deputed to conduct the prosecution of the charges against Mr. Sub-Engineer Colquhoun.

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From

Major Payne - Palamcottah

To. Colonel Orr. Madras

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18th January 1871 } (Signed) G. M. Payne Major, Ag. Supg. Engr. 8th Dn.

(True Copy)

G. M. Payne Major
Ag. Superintending Engr. 8th Dn.

To
The Secretary to Government
D. P. W.

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The Ag. Supt. g. Engr.
8th Divn.

To

The Secretary to Govt.
D. P. W.

Dated 18th January
1871

Forwards Copy of Telegram requesting to accept his resignation of his appointment in the Department & depute another Officer.

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From Col. Orr
" Madras.

To Major Payne
" Palamcottah

Your telegram of 18th. The Government cannot permit you to leave Tinnevelly till the matter in which you have been appointed Prosecutor is disposed of - but you will be relieved of charge of Superintending Engineer's Office by Captain Rywes who will join by first steamer

21st January
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P.W. Dept.

No 209

Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 21st January 1871

Read the following Telegram.

From Major Payne. (Here enter No of 18th Jany 1871)

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[signature]

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To the Ag. Supg Engr & Dn

× ~~Controller~~ of P.W. Accts

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To The Acting Superintending Engineer 8th Division

Dated

Recd. Encl.

G. O., 24th Jany 1871, No. 209.

Nos. 425-426

Appointment. Passing orders on the telegram from Major Payne, Actg Supg Engr of the 8th Dn, tendering the resignation of his appointment in the P.W. Dept. & requesting that another Officer may be deputed to conduct the prosecution of the charges against Mr. Sub Engr. Colquhoun.